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Dear EPA,

I am very concerned about the proposed clean up plan for the Willamette River. I was a science teacher for 30 years and educated my students about the importance of water quality issues in regards to the watershed and the rivers through the Salmon Watch program.

Critical issues need to include habitat restoration following remedy construction which needs to be a required element in the R.O.D. Aquatic habitat that is disturbed by the remedy must be restored and the full cost paid by the PRPs. When nearshore and intertidal habitat has to be removed, it must be replaced and replanted with SAV that thrives.

I expect the final remedy to comply with state environmental quality, especially the water quality criteria for the PTW contaminants. PCBs, dioxins and DDTs in water and that fish must meet state water quality standards. I want to be able to eat fish from the river and feel confident that all required clean up efforts have been addressed.

Thank you for your time and attention to this important matter.

concerned citizen and educator and parent (b) (6)